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TREMENDOUS EFFORTS TO END VICE CRUSADE AS IT REACHES WEALTHY OWNERS

Tremendous efforts have been made to stop the vice crusade since Saturday.

The trust newspapers have published scare head stories about armies of women of the tenderloin invading the residential districts of the city.

The stories were very cleverly written, and well calculated to alarm the decent people of Chicago.

But they were not true.

The women have not been driven from the Twenty-second district, and will not be.

They can stay there as long as they like without molestation.

From now on there will be no more wholesale raids.

Only MEN who try to enter the resorts and do not keep out of the district after one warning will be arrested.

The program of the vice crusaders right now is this:

The filing of information against 50 or more wealthy owners of property in the tenderloin.

The prosecution of these property owners.

The prosecution of the keepers

of disorderly houses now under arrest.

The dismissal of the charges against the inmates now under arrest.

And all the stories about great armies of women brazenly camping in the residential districts are plain bunk.

Such women as are fleeing the Twenty-second street district are nearly all leaving the city.

Such women as have tried to get shelter in the residential districts are much more frightened of the decent people, than the decent people need be of them.

But while the stories were not true when published they may become true if they are published often enough.

If newspapers persist in suggesting such a plan to the women of the segregated district the women may adopt it.

Another newspaper story that was false when first printed, but may become true, is that of a great parade to the city hall planned by the women of the Twenty-second street district.

The women may adopt that idea suggested to them by the